

ORIGINAL

Application No. 84562

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**APPLICATION FOR PERMIT TO APPROPRIATE THE PUBLIC  
WATERS OF THE STATE OF NEVADA  
FOR ENVIRONMENTAL PURPOSES**

THIS SPACE FOR OFFICE USE ONLY

Date of filing in State Engineer's Office ..... **DEC 02 2014**  
Returned to applicant for correction ..... **DEC 10 2014**  
Corrected application filed ..... Map filed .....

The applicant Veris Gold USA, Inc.

HC 31, Box 78

Street Address or PO Box

of Elko

City or Town

Nevada 89801

State and ZIP Code

hereby make(s) application for permission to appropriate the public waters of the State of Nevada, as hereinafter stated. (If applicant is a corporation, give date and place of incorporation; if a copartnership or association give names of members.)

January 1, 2003 - Delaware

1. The source of the proposed appropriation is an underground source (PDE-17)

Name of stream, lake, spring, underground or other source

2. The amount of water applied for is 0.03 second feet.

One second foot equals 448.83 gallons per minute

(a) If stored in reservoir, give number of acre-feet \_\_\_\_\_

3. Remediation Order or Letter (attach copy)

(a) Issued by Nevada Department of Environmental Protection

(b) Order, Permit or Plan number NEV00020

(c) Date issued March 5, 1991

4. The water is to be diverted from its source at the following point:

within the NW1/4 of the SW1/4 of Section 34, T.41N., R.54E., M.D.M.

Describe as being within a 40-acre subdivision of public survey, and by course and distance to section corner. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.

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5. Place of use:

within the N1/2 of Section 4, T.40N., R.54E., M.D.M., all of Section 33 and the W1/2 of Section 34, T.41N., R.54E., M.D.M. Refer to map filed in support of Permit No. 76655-E.

Describe by legal subdivision. If on unsurveyed land, it should be so stated.

6. Use will begin about January 1st and end about December 31st of each year.  
Month and Day Month and Day

7. Description of proposed works.

small diameter drilled well, generally less than 240 foot depth, schedule 40 PVC casing (with perforations at intervals determined upon analysis), equipped with a pump, motor and pipe collection network.

State manner in which water is to be diverted, i.e. diversion structure, ditches and flumes, drilled well with pump and motor, etc.

8. Estimated cost of works \$20,000

9. Estimated time required to construct works

Wells constructed under direction of NDEP within one year.

If well completed, describe works.

10. Remarks: Describe project

The NDEP has mandated these wells under Facility ID No. NEV 0000020, issued March 1991, for prevention of release into natural aquifer. Seepage wells will collect and pump out seepage associated with the facility. All water obtained under this and other environmental permits is returned and recycled to reduce the demand of make-up water from the primary supply sources for the milling operation. These wells will continue to operate past the life of the mine, or until seepage water quality resembles aquifer water quality.

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BY THE APPLICANT OR AGENT**

**\$180 FILING FEE MUST ACCOMPANY APPLICATION**